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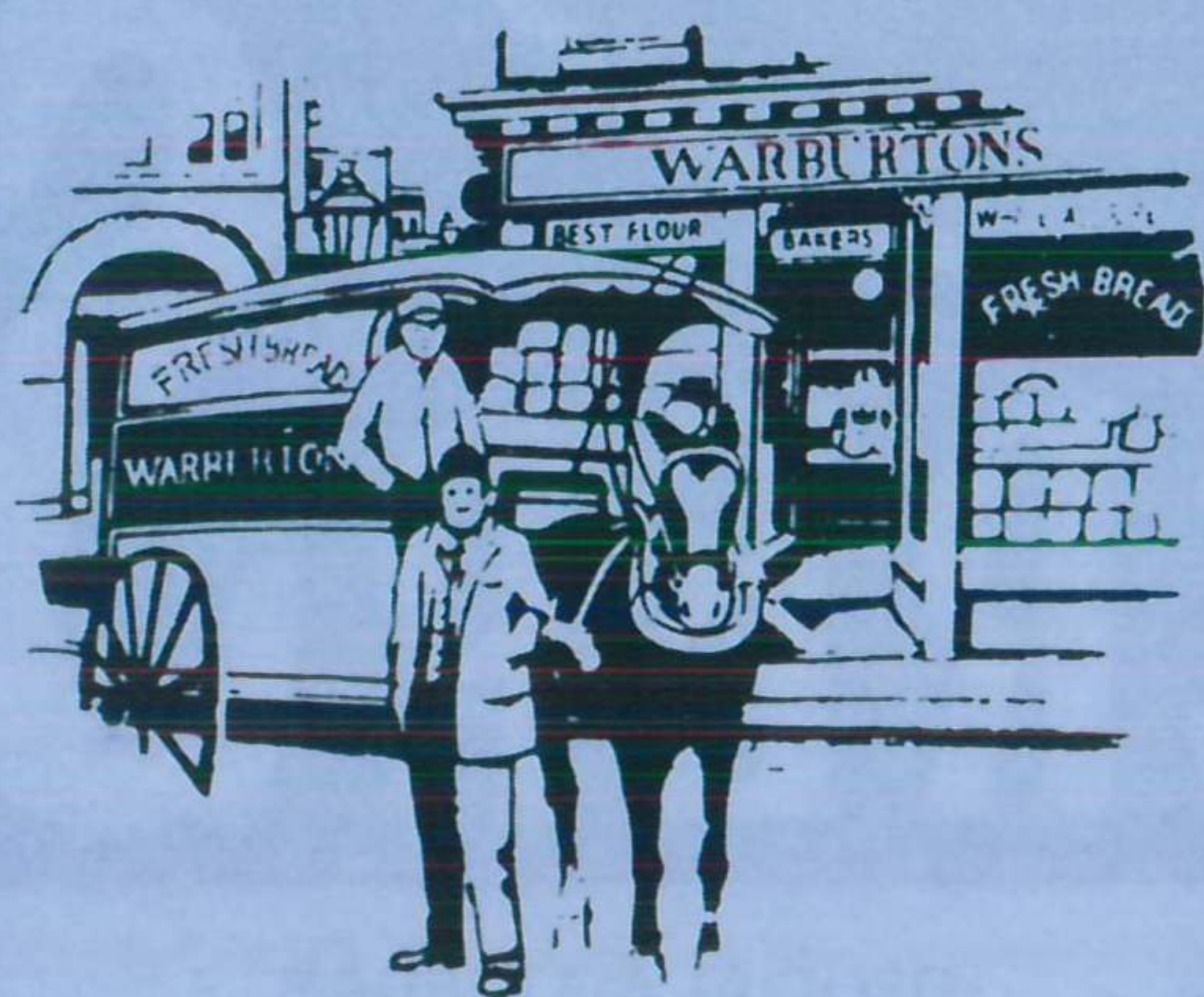
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BRISTOL CITY

BRISTOL CITY PLANS DELAYED

by Tony Pullein

Bristol City's recovery programme — following their traumatic fall from the First to the Fourth Division in successive seasons — is nicely under way and, though manager Terry Cooper had been hoping they might win further promotion this season, that is not to be. So City have had to delay their plans for a return to the Second Division.

The club put a millstone around its neck by losing the opening four matches of this season and, though they have since enjoyed several good runs, they have not shown the consistency to take them into the promotion race.

Away form has been disappointing. Their only away victories came at Cardiff (3-1), Swansea (3-1) and Brentford (2-1) though they did pick up useful points from York City (1-1), Newport (1-1), Doncaster (1-1), Lincoln (1-1), Gillingham (1-1), Wigan (1-1) and Chesterfield (0-0).

City were beaten at Bournemouth (0-5), Rotherham (0-2), Notts County (0-4), Bury (3-6), Reading (0-1), Walsall (1-2), Blackpool (1-2), Derby (0-2) and Wolves (1-2).

They didn't enjoy much success in either of the major Cups though they are through to the Southern Final of the Freight Rover Trophy. They went down heavily at Hereford (1-5) in the first-leg of round one of the Milk Cup and, though they won the return 2-0, they took an early exit.

After drawing 0-0 at Swindon in the first round of the F.A. Cup, they won the replay 4-2.

But they were beaten at home by Exeter (1-2) at the next stage.

In the Freight Rover they started off with a goalless home draw against Plymouth but a 2-1 win at Walsall enabled them to win their group. With the advantage of a home draw in the Southern quarter-final, they defeated Northampton by 3-2. At home again in the regional semi-final, they scored a fine 3-0 win over Gillingham.

City now meet Hereford to decide who will be going to Wembley for the national final.

It's now almost ten years since Bristol City took First Division football back to Ashton Gate after an absence of 65 years. Under manager Alan Dicks, City took second place in the Second Division in 1976 and then enjoyed four seasons at the top level.

Life was usually a struggle, though, and in 1980 they failed to pull clear. Their return to Division Two signalled a complete collapse. Financial problems proved too great and the club was forced to sell most of its senior players.

With a team containing several youth team players, City dropped back into the Third Division a year later and in 1982 fell into the Fourth Division for the first time in their history.

Former England left-back Terry Cooper directed the salvage operations and, after two seasons in the lowest division, City stepped back into Division Three in 1984.

They very nearly achieved further promotion last season, eventually taking fifth place.

Hopes for a return to Division Two this year haven't materialised.

Bristol City F.C. was formed in 1894 and they gained election to the Second Division of the Football League in 1901. They won the divisional Championship five years later to step up into Division One.

In 1907 they finished runners-up in the First Division, missing the title by three points, and two years later they were narrowly beaten 0-1 by Manchester United in the F.A. Cup final.

City lost their First Division place in 1911 and in 1922 they dropped into the Third Division (South) for the first time. They hopped between the two lower divisions for a while but in 1932 they began a very long spell as a Third Division club.

They returned to Division Two in 1955 and remained for five years. It was in 1965 that they regained their Second Division place and in 1976 they found themselves back in Division One.

City are still the only club from the West Country to have played in the First Division.

KEITH WAUGH (Goalkeeper). Keith found himself perpetually in the reserves with his first club Sunderland and it was after moving on to Peterborough that he made his League debut in 1976. He was the Posh's regular 'keeper for five years when Sheffield United signed him for £90,000. After a loan spell with Cambridge, he joined City last season, initially on loan.

ANDY LLEWELLYN



Back Row: Lee Rogers, Alan Walsh, Keith Curle, Keith Waugh, Steve Johnson (now Chester), David Moyes, Rob Newman, Gary Marshall.
Front Row: Howard Pritchard, Andy Llewellyn, Bobby Hutchinson, Glyn Riley, Steve Neville, David Tong (now Gillingham), Brian Williams.

(Defender). Andy won England youth honours in his early days at Ashton Gate. He got his first opportunity to play in City's League eleven in 1982/83.

KEITH CURLE (Defender). Keith started his professional career with rivalling Bristol Rovers, scoring on his League debut against Chester in August 1981. In 1984 he was transferred to Torquay United but he was transferred again, to Bristol City, only a few weeks later.

DAVID MOYES (Defender). David's first club was Celtic. He made his first League appearances for them in 1981/82 and in 1983 he moved south to join Cambridge United. Bristol City signed him last September.

BRIAN WILLIAMS (Defender). Brian was a raiding winger in his early days with Bury. After making his League debut in 1972, he played more than 150 League games for the Shakers. Q.P.R. signed him for £70,000 in 1977 but he moved on to Swindon for £55,000 a year later. In 1981 he was signed by Bristol Rovers where he held a regular place in the senior team until his latest move took him across the city to Ashton Gate.

ROB NEWMAN (Defender). Rob, a one-time City apprentice, won his chance in their League eleven during 1981/82 and now looks back on well over 150 first-team games. He recently switched to an

attacking role.

HOWARD PRITCHARD (Midfield). Howard is in his second spell with the club. He started as a City apprentice and made his League debut against Aston Villa in 1978. Swindon signed him in 1981 and for two years he held a place in the Robins' senior side. He returned to Ashton Gate in 1983 and last season he played for Wales against Norway.

BOBBY HUTCHINSON (Midfield). Bobby has played well over 350 games in the Scottish and Football Leagues, commencing with his debut for Morton in 1971/72. Dundee signed him in 1974 and he remained with them until transferring to Hibernian in 1977. Wigan brought him into English football in 1980 and a year later he joined Tranmere Rovers. Another move took him to Mansfield in 1982 but, within the year, he was back at Tranmere. Bristol City signed him during the 1984 close-season.

GLYN RILEY (Midfield). Glyn made his League debut as a Barnsley player in 1975/76 but it took him about three years to win a regular place. In 1979/80 he spent a short loan period at Doncaster but he returned to reclaim his place at Barnsley. He joined Bristol City in 1982, topping their scoring list in his first two seasons with 16 in 1982/83 and 18 the following season. Last season he scored 22 times.

GARY

MARSHALL

(Forward). Gary developed in the junior teams at Ashton Gate and got a brief taste of League football, as substitute, in 1983/84. The following season he was loaned to Torquay for a short time. In recent weeks he has been holding his place in the City side.

ALAN WALSH (Forward). Alan, who has scored 19 times for City this season, has been a prolific scorer for several seasons. He got only three outings in Middlesbrough's League eleven so in 1978 he joined Darlington. He was top scorer in his first three seasons and again in 1982/83. Bristol City signed him in 1984 and last season he was their best marksman with 26.

STEVE NEVILLE (Forward). Steve started off at Southampton where he got occasional chances in the first-team. It was after joining Exeter in 1978 that his career started to blossom and Sheffield United signed him for £80,000 in 1981. After two seasons at Bramall Lane, he returned to Exeter where he remained until City signed him last season. Now he is their top scorer with 20.

DAVID HARLE (Forward). David is on loan from Leeds United. He started his career with Doncaster Rovers and made 61 League appearances during his first spell with the club. Exeter signed him in 1982 but, after a year in Devon, he rejoined Doncaster. Leeds signed him earlier this season.

CLUB NEWS

In Retrospect

We welcome Bristol City to Burnden Park today for our final home league game of the season. It will be the 38th occasion that the two teams have faced each other in the Football League with City having won 17 to the Wanderers 10.

In recent years City have become something of a bogey side with the Wanderers winning only one of the last thirteen league games between the clubs.

It was at Second Division level that the clubs first met when, in season 1903-04, a 1-1 draw resulted at Burnden with City winning 2-0 at their old ground, St. John's Lane.

The following season the Wanderers were the first league visitors to the new Ashton Gate ground and came away with the points by winning 4-3. The building work was not quite complete for the opening but a crowd of 10,000 saw the F.A. secretary, Mr Wall, kick off. Bolton took the lead early on, thanks to a mistake by Gilson, the City keeper, punching a Clifford cross into his own goal. City then fought back to take the lead and the Wanderers had to twice come from behind before Yenson shot the winner in the dying minute.

Bolton completed their only double over City by winning 3-1 at Burnden, the points going towards promotion, City following a year later. Both clubs won on their travels when they faced each other for the first time in the First Division. Bolton's 2-1 win in Bristol in April 1907 was their last taste of victory at Ashton Gate, since then 17 visits have been made in league and cup, without success, although between 1965 and 1971 the Wanderers made six visits, drawing each time.

Season 1907-08 saw the Wanderers relegated to the Second Division with fellow strugglers City completing the double. The game at Burnden attracted a 10,000 crowd, Bolton taking the lead seconds before the interval, thanks to a rising shot from Shepherd. Burton equalised for City in the opening minutes of the second period and Gilligan netted their second which was enough to give them the points.

At Ashton Gate the Wanderers went down 2-0 which gave them little chance of avoiding relegation. The first half was goalless but Gilligan opened the home sides account in the 50th minute when he ran through to shoot home from close range. Midway through the second half Gilligan netted again, this time he had the

simple task of scoring in an empty net, after a cross from Hilton.

Bolton regained their First Division status a year later, each side winning on their home soil, and it wasn't until November 1965 that our paths crossed again. Then the sides drew 2-2 at Ashton Gate, with City winning at Burnden, 2-1 thanks to a last minute winner from John Atyeo.

The Wanderers haven't beaten City at Burnden since December 1976, with the four games since then ending in two wins for the visitors, and two draws. It was a goal from Neil Whatmore after 79 minutes that gave Bolton their last victory against City, the striker cashing in on a poor back pass from Gary Collier, before a crowd of 18,505. The two sides for that game were:

Bolton: Siddall, Ritson, Dunne, Waldron, P. Jones, Allardyce, Greaves, Whatmore, G. Jones, Reid, Smith. Sub Byrom for Smith.

City: Cashley, Sweeney, Drysdale, Gow, Collier, Merrick, Tainton, Ritchie, Mann, Cheesley, Fear. Sub Brolly for Cheesley.

Last season City completed the double with each game producing five goals. At Ashton Gate Howard Pritchard gave City the lead after only 90 seconds, Wayne Foster equalised in the 19th minute, and three minutes later George Oghani netted his 11th goal of the season to give Bolton the lead. Alan Walsh made it 2-2 from the penalty spot after Peter Valentine had brought down Howard Pritchard, and it was Walsh who got the winner in the 78th minute, from a 25 yard free kick that took a deflection.

It took only four minutes for Steve Neville to give City the lead at Burnden with Glyn Riley and Neville again giving City a three goal half time lead. Neville completed his hat trick in the 69th minute after Warren Joyce had reduced the arrears for the Wanderers.

Earlier this season City won the points with a 2-0 win at Ashton gate. Their goals came from Glyn Riley and Steve Neville but the Wanderers played with only ten men from the 31st minute. George Oghani was booked and then sent off by substitute referee Mr Delaney. He took over after Mr Butler had to retire with a thigh injury. Our league record against Bristol City is as follows:

	PL	W	D	L	F	A
HOME	18	8	4	6	24	22
AWAY	19	2	6	11	21	36
TOTAL	37	10	10	17	45	58

Programme Fair

The first Wigan Athletic programme fair will take place in the Supporters Club at Springfield Park on Sunday 4th May, between 11am and 3pm. Admission is 10p and a bar and refreshments are available along with thousands of programmes.

Down memory lane

15 years ago 17th April 1971. A Bolton side including six teenagers visited Charlton Athletic in the knowledge that defeat would mean relegation to the Third Division. Unfortunately for the Wanderers, Charlton stormed into a three goal lead within 37 minutes, Ray Treacy, with a couple, and Keith Peacock getting the goals. Bob Curtis put the issue beyond doubt in the 52nd minute although Roy Greaves did reduce the arrears ten minutes later with a 20 yard shot.

24th April 1971. Bolton entertained Blackburn Rovers for the final home game of the season. The game kicked off at 7.30 p.m. due to the Holcombe races with Rovers needing to win to stand any chance of staying up. Alan Boswell was recalled for his first game since February after Peter Clarke had fallen ill.

The Wanderers took the lead in the second minute when Rovers full back Fred Goodwin turned the ball into his own net after a mix up with his keeper Roger Jones. Blackburn equalised in the 75th minute when Bryan Conlon headed home a Stuart Metcalfe corner.

1st May 1971. Bolton completed their league programme with a 1-1 draw at Oxford United. Roger Hunt gave the wanderers the lead after two minutes but Dick Lucas equalised for Oxford in the 61st minute with his first league goal.

The Wanderers final league record for 1970/71 was PL42 W7 D10 L24 F35 A74 PTS 24 position 22nd.

4th May 1971. A crowd of 16,307 came to Burnden for Eddie Hopkinson's testimonial game. Hoppy still holds the club's record for league appearances and the crowd witnessed a couple of entertaining games. Firstly a Wanderers 58 XI defeated an All Star XI 3-2 and then a European XI beat Eddie Hopkinson's XI 6-4. Famous Portugese stars Eusebio and Simoes appeared for the European side who were losing 3-1 at half time.

10 years ago 17th April 1976. Bolton got back into winning ways with a 4-0 win over Oldham Athletic at Burnden. They were put on their way by a Roy Greaves goal after only 92 seconds, a far post header from a Peter Thompson cross, and with two Paul Jones penalties, either side of half time, the points seemed secure. Roy Greaves grabbed his second of the game in the dying seconds his shot going in off a post.

19th April 1976. A crowd of 51,983 was at Roker Park for the Wanderers promotion clash with Sunderland. The home side took a first half lead through a Tony Towers penalty and a Bryan Robson effort and although Bolton came back in the second period, Sam Allardyce finding the net, Sunderland won the points which virtually assured them of the championship and dented Bolton's hopes.

24th April 1976. The Wanderers visited Charlton Athletic and took the points with a resounding 4-0 win. Unfortunately West Brom took the third promotion spot by winning at Oldham, the Wanderers taking fourth place, only a point behind Albion in the final table. Neil Whatmore, Roy Greaves and a couple from John Byrom destroyed Charlton but it came too late.

28th April 1976. It was something of an anti-climax when Bristol Rovers visited Burnden for the final league game of the season. A crowd of 12,815 saw Bolton sign off with a 3-1 win. Peter Nicholson gave the Wanderers the lead with a 30th minute volley and a minute later John Byrom increased the lead. It was Byrom who nudged in the third from a Willie Morgan cross before Alan Warboys hooked in a consolation goal for Rovers.

Bolton's league record read, PL42, W20 D12 L10 F64 A38 PTS52 4th position.

3rd May 1976. A crowd of over 6000 was at Burnden for Roy Greaves testimonial game which saw an All Star XI defeat the Wanderers 2-1.

5 years ago 26th April 1981. Bolton's Second Division status was assured with a 2-2 draw at Orient. The game took place on a Sunday morning and the Wanderers goals came from Alan Gowling and Neil Whatmore. Unfortunately Gowling also put through his own goal and after an hours play Bolton were reduced to ten men when David Hoggan was sent off.

2nd May 1981. The final league game of the season saw Luton Town come to Burnden and take the points with a convincing 3-0 win. All the goals came in the second half from Brian Stein, Steve White and Kirk Stephens to end the Wanderers run of seven games without defeat.

Final league record for 1980/81 was PL42 W14 D10 L18 F61 A66 PTS 38 position 18th.

4th May 1981. Bolton completed the season with a visit to Third Division champions Rotherham United for John Breckin's testimonial. The Yorkshire side won 2-0 in a game that saw Simon Farnworth make his debut, coming on as substitute, for Dennis Peacock.

CLUB NEWS

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Junior Whites News

Today's mascot is Andrew Holliday of Junction Road, Deane. Andrew is 9 years old and attends St Peter and Paul's junior school for whom he plays on the left wing. He is no stranger to Burnden having been a ballboy for the last two seasons.

His favourite players are Phil Neal, Mark Came and Tony Caldwell.



Trotters 13

The Trotters 13 took place a fortnight ago from Burnden and was once again a success with 500 competitors taking part. This year's winner was Kevin Best of Stretford in a time of 1hr 7 minutes 31 seconds. Whilst conditions were better than last year the rain and cold wind in the latter stages of the race made things tough. We would like to thank everyone who took part and more importantly to everyone who helped and sponsored the race in any way. The standard of athlete attracted to the race has increased year by year and 1986 was no exception with no less than 169 runners completing the tough course in under an hour and a half.

The Wanderers own running club The Burnden Road Runners had 17 members complete the run and former Bolton Favourite Alan Gowling came in in 1hr 28mins. Wanderers medical officer Dave Dennard was also pleased with his performance of 1hr 45mins beating his previous year's time handsomely.

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BURNDEN PARK SLIMMING CLUB FOR MEN

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It's now 18 months, since the Slimming Club for Men started here at Bolton Wanderers meeting every Monday at 7.00 p.m. in the Sponsors Lounge. The success rate has exceeded all expectations with men losing amounts varying from one stone to 11 stones. It has not been unusual to see men losing as much as 7lb to 14lb in the first week! Not bad when you consider they are eating three meals a day, three fruits and a weekly drink allowance, no exercise is involved.

We need to get word around about the Club as so many men have now reached their target weight and many more will do so in the next few weeks. There is always a good atmosphere and the ages vary from 18 to 60. The Club is based on giving plenty of help, encouragement and a good talk each week, no one is ever humiliated. It is run by Pat Nightingale, wife of the club's physiotherapist Peter Nightingale. Pat trained as a Nursing Sister and saw the medical complications being overweight can cause, but the majority of men join the club to look better in their clothes, feeling fitter after losing their weight became a bonus.

The club did a recording for Radio Manchester and in the background, waiting to be weighed were shouts of 'My wife's driven me to drink this week, Pat' and 'I've had a curry this week'. Needless to say, they came up with their usual excellent weight losses! Our congratulations to Keith Banks on achieving a four stone weight loss, and congratulations to two young brothers, Duncan and Carlton on losing nearly four stones between them, they are almost at their goal weight. If you require more details about the club telephone Pat or Peter Nightingale on 852572. People had been asking about the classes for ladies which are: Tuesdays 7.30 p.m., St. George's, Plodden Lane, Farnworth and Wednesday 7.30 p.m, Zion Baptist, Slater Street, Old Higher Bridge Street, Bolton.

PEN-PALS WANTED

I am looking for a pen-pal who supports Bolton Wanderers, either male or female. I am an 18-year-old male who supports Liverpool. My favourite bands are Status Quo, Marillion, Beltane Fire, Iron Maiden, and Van Halen. My hobbies are football, music, TV and travelling.

Chris Roberts

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I am writing to you to see if you could please help me find a pen-pal through your matchday programme. I am a York City supporter and I would like to write to any female Bolton fans aged between 15-20, to swap news and views on football. If you can help I would be really grateful. My interests include writing letters, reading, music (favourite groups include Simple Minds and Frankie), going to discos and, of course, watching football. Any letters received would be answered.

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We welcome boys from Hayward School and Deane School for the last of the six-a-side invitation matches this season.

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2. S. GEMMILL
3. G. OWEN
4. K. SMITH
5. D. BENTLEY
6. I. JAMESON
7. D. HODSON
8. D. RUSSELL

Teacher: Mr. JOHNSON

Colour — Maroon

DEANE

1. C. STANSFIELD
2. A. RUSHTON
3. A. HASSALL
4. A. DAWSON
5. C. JENKINSON
6. T. LEECE
7. D. CUNNIFF
8. C. HARRISON

Teachers: Mr. E. G. Tomkinson
and Mr. R. H. Platt

Colour — White Shirts, Blue
Shorts



ACTION

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NOTTS COUNTY

1. DAVE SUTTON challenging for the ball with Notts County goalkeeper JOHN DAVIES.
2. PHIL NEAL in action against Notts County.
3. TONY CALDWELL challenges Notts County's PEDRO RICHARDS for a high ball.

Pics by Bolton Evening News

In Reserve

8th April 1986. Sunderland Reserves 2 Bolton Reserves 0

Promotion candidates Sunderland registered their fifth successive victory against a less experienced Wanderers side. Unfortunately the Wanderers found clear cut chances at a minimum and had to make do with long range efforts which Sunderland 'keeper, Cameron Duncan, held well. Roger Walker and Paul Fitzpatrick were both close to the target in a scoreless first half.

Jon Senior had an eventful Central League debut for the Wanderers, firstly clearing off the line from Gary Owers and then going into the referee's notebook for a foul on the same player.

Owers opened the scoring for the Wearsiders in the 56th minute, David Hodgson slipping the ball through a square Bolton defence, to put the midfielder clear. The second goal didn't come until nine minutes from time, when from a corner, the Bolton defence failed to clear and in the ensuing scramble Sean Wharton shot home from close in.

Team: Farnworth, Lloyd, Fitzpatrick, Banks, Allardyce, Darby, Walker, Ring, Roberts, Senior, Mullineux. Sub. Hughes.

14th April 1986. Bolton Reserves 0 Blackpool Reserves 1

The Wanderers poor run at Burnden continued with their fifth consecutive game on home soil without a goal. A more experienced Bolton side had much more of the play with numerous chances going begging.

Roger Walker caused problems early on for the Blackpool defence but became ineffective after taking a heavy knock. Paul Fitzpatrick was unlucky to see a 20-yard free-kick strike the underside of the bar four minutes from half time. The rebound was headed back into the danger area by Julian Darby, Wayne Entwistle nodding home, only to have the goal ruled out for offside.

On the stroke of half time Julian Darby was booked for a foul on 'Pool centre forward Bell.

Blackpool scored what turned out to be the winner in the 66th minute when on one of their rare attacks Bolton's defence was caught flat footed as a McAllister cross caused havoc. The ball fell to Duckworth who stooped to head home from 12 yards beating Simon Farnworth's efforts to claw the ball away.

Bolton managed to keep on top but chances that were created went begging. Simon Rudge took his frustration out on Hornby in the final minute and was booked for a bad challenge.

In the third minute of injury time Wayne Entwistle was brought down in the area by Boyle and it seemed the Wanderers would get a point that their possession deserved.

Unfortunately, Graham Bell sent his spot kick high into the Embankment and the referee immediately blew for time.

Team: Farnworth, Darby, Fitzpatrick, Bell, Winstanley, Allardyce, Walker, Ring, Entwistle, Rudge, Mullineux. Sub. Banks for Walker.

16th April 1986. Bolton Reserves 3 Notts County Reserves 0

The Wanderers got it together in front of goal to register their first home win since the end of January.

Notts County 'keeper Tim Dalton kept the scoreline respectable with a number of saves including one in the first minute from Paul Allen. A run of 480 minutes without scoring at Burnden came to an end when Dean Roberts sent Dalton the wrong way from the penalty spot. The kick was awarded after Simon Rudge had been fouled attempting to keep the ball in play.

Bolton's second goal didn't arrive until the 72nd minute. Ian Mullineux, who again had a good game on the left wing, weaved his way through the County defence before crossing to find Dean Roberts who headed home.

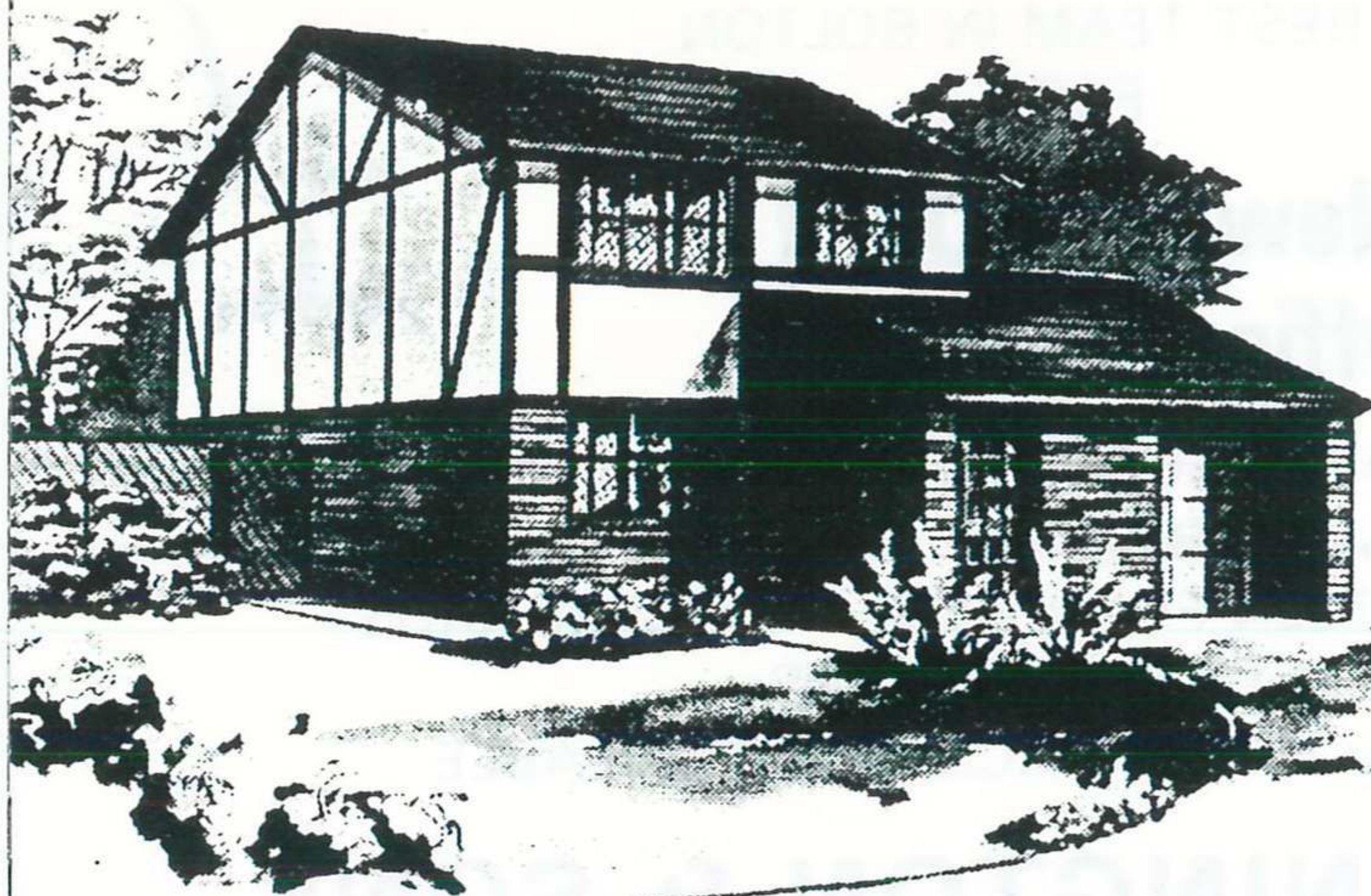
Roberts had the best chance of the game five minutes later when he was put clear by Mullineux. Unfortunately he shot straight at the oncoming 'keeper and the defence cleared. In the 84th minute he made amends when he scrambled the ball home from close in, the final touch coming from County defender, Robinson, who could only help it into the net.

Team: Farnworth, Lloyd, Fitzpatrick, Senior, Darby, Allardyce, Banks, Allen, Roberts, Rudge, Mullineux. Sub. Griffin for Allen.

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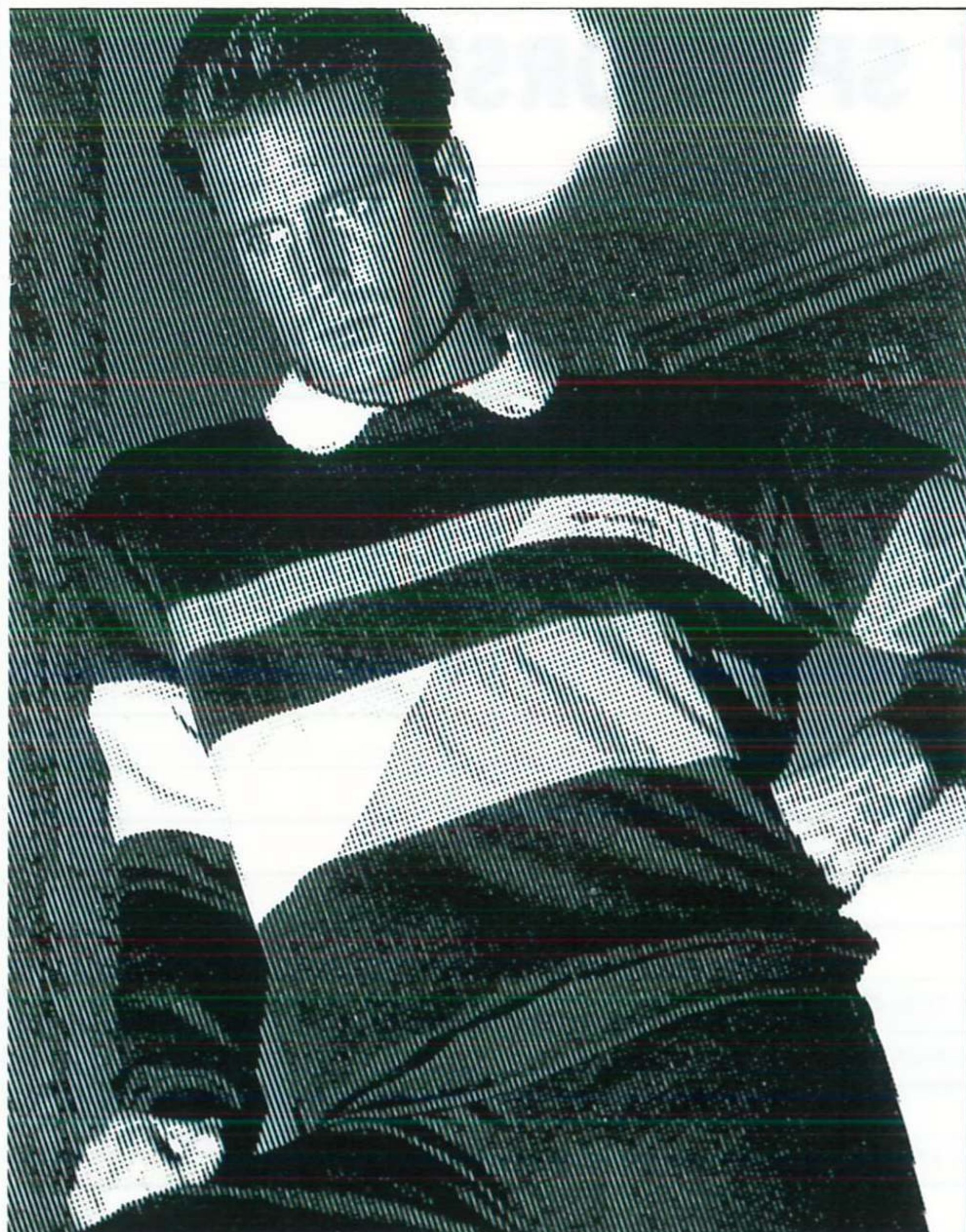
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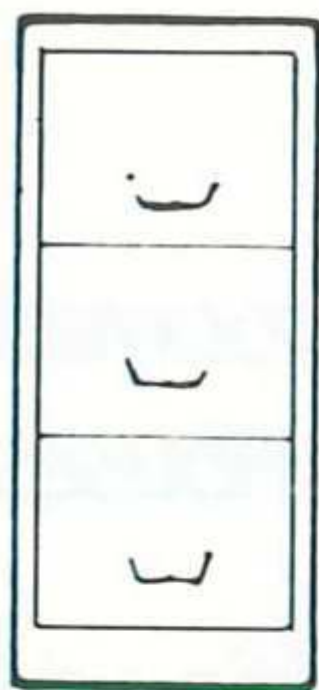


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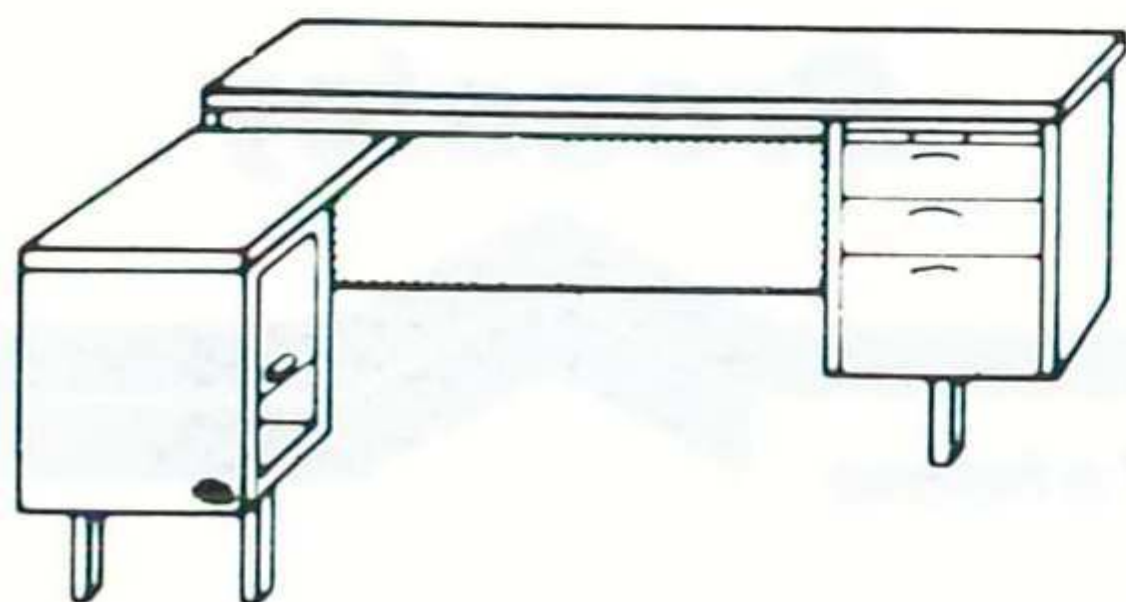
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PUZZLE PAGE

CROSSWORD No. 27

ACROSS

1. Met a different side (4)
3. Defender past and present (4, 6)
8. Cup matches (8)
9. Francis or Brooking (6)
10. Tube line round centre spot? (6)
11. Price of a very old programme (8)
12. Kept on the staff (8)
13. Quickest way to goal (6)
15. James, formerly with Stoke (6)
17. Melee (8)
19. Don't look your age! (4, 4)
20. Alan to back in vote (6)
21. Collision (6)
22. First kept goal for Scunthorpe (8)
23. Becomes unpleasant (5, 5)
24. This land for Rochdale (4)

DOWN

1. Has more goals than anyone (3, 6)
2. Left Stoke for Hillsborough (4, 11)
3. Room for those put down! (7)
4. Played opponents away (7)
5. Graham Taylor's team (7)
6. Rotherham's nickname (3, 5, 7)
7. Former Welsh international (5)
14. Usually follows an injury (9)
16. Canon League champions, 1985 (7)
17. Picks the team (7)
18. Unjust result? (7)
19. Notts County goalgetter (5)

SOLUTIONS TO PUZZLES IN LAST PROGRAMME

Crossword No. 26: Across: 6. Laurie, 7&8. full-time, 9. Derby, 11. Friar, 12&2dn. Mike Summerbee, 14. Alex, 15. orange. **Down:** 1. Blyth, 2. See 12 across, 3. Henderson, 4. Cumbrians, 5. Alf, 10. Derek, 13. Ray.

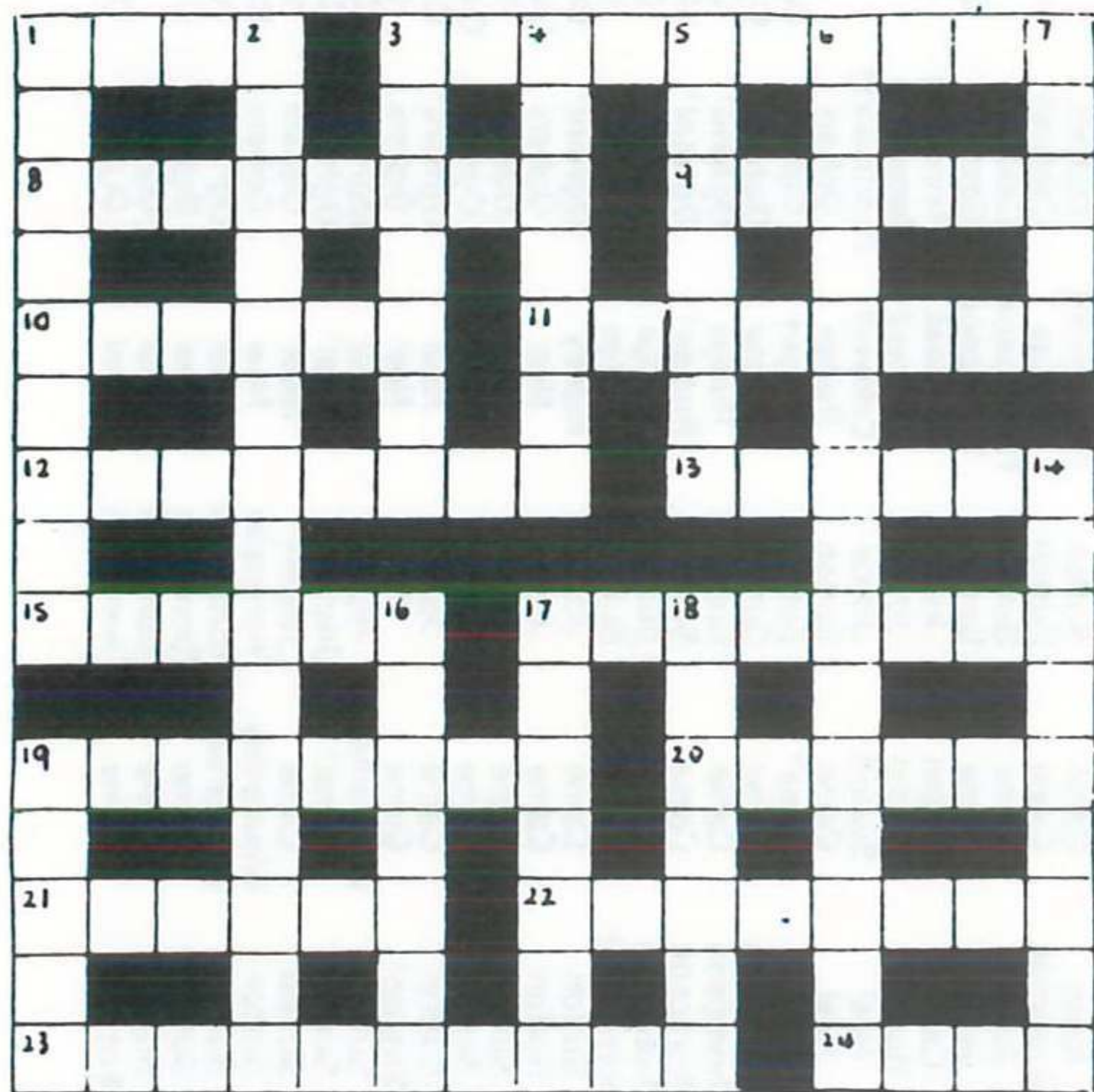
On the Ball No. 26: HEARD, MILAN, DENIS, BRIAN.

Quick Quiz No. 26: 1. 1975, 2. White Hart Lane, 3. a) Sweden; b) USA; c) Spain, 4. Spain (March 1985), 5. QPR (1966/67).

Soccer Centurion No. 26: 0 + 0 + 100.

Fitness Test No. 26: BANK/KERN; BLUE/EVEN.

Answers to this week's crossword: 1. Team, 3. Dave Watson, 8. Nurse, 14. Treatment, 16. Everton, 17. Selects, 18. Robbery, 19. Waitt, Chamberlain, 3. Dungeon, 4. Visited, 5. Watford, 6. The Merry Millers, 7. Clemence, 23. Turns nasty, 24. Spot. **Down:** 1. Top scorer, 2. Mark Robbie, 17. Scramble, 19. Wear well, 20. Ballot, 21. Impact, 22. Pairings, 9. Trevor, 10. Circle, 11. Twopence, 12. Retained, 13. Direct, 15. Pairs.



MIKE RING chasing the ball against Notts County.

FACTS

Date	Opponents	F.A.	Att.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Aug.	17 Rotherham United	1-1	5,129	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Rudge†	Sutton	Came†	Thompson	Caldwell¹	Cross²	Hartford	Bell	Walker
	20 Stockport County (MC1 1L)	4-1	3,311	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce†	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross¹	Hartford	Bell¹	Oghani
	24 Doncaster Rovers	1-1	3,414	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross¹	Hartford	Bell†	Oghani
	26 Bury (7.30pm)	1-4	8,772	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Rudge	Sutton	Allardyce	Thompson†	Caldwell	Cross¹	Hartford	Bell	Oghani
Sept.	31 Gillingham	1-2	2,773	Farnworth	Joyce	Scott	Joyce†	Came	Allardyce	Thompson²	Oghani	Cross	Hartford	Walker	Oghani
	2 Stockport County (MC1 2L)	1-1	2,573	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell†	Cross²	Hartford	Oghani	Caldwell¹
	7 Wolverhampton W.	4-1	4,986	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Walker
	14 Walsall	0-2	4,532	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	17 Lincoln City	1-1	3,928	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	21 Newport County	1-0	2,212	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Joyce
	25 Nottingham Forest (MC2 1L)	0-4	10,530	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Joyce
	28 Plymouth Argyle	3-1	4,270	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Scott	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Oct.	1 York City	0-3	4,680	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson†	Oghani	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	5 Reading	0-1	8,000	Farnworth	Scott†	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	8 Nottingham Forest (MC2 2L)	0-3	4,010	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	12 Brentford	1-2	4,106	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Allardyce	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	19 Swansea City	1-1	3,558	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson¹	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell†	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	22 Bristol Rovers	1-2	4,308	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	26 Cardiff City	1-0	2,502	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Nov.	2 A.F.C. Bournemouth	1-0	3,800	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson¹	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	5 Darlington	0-3	2,902	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson†	Came	Allardyce	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	9 Notts County	0-1	4,497	Farnworth	Joyce	Phillips	Thompson	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	16 Wrexham (FAC 1)	1-3	2,738	Farnworth	Fitzpatrick	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Scott	Walker	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	23 Derby County	0-1	5,887	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Fitzpatrick†	Oghani	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	30 Bristol City	0-2	6,253	Farnworth	Joyce	Scott	Fitzpatrick	Came	Sutton	Rudge	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Dec	14 Chesterfield	2-1	3,621	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson¹	Caldwell	Cross²†	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	21 Doncaster Rovers	2-0	4,546	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	26 Blackpool	1-1	9,473	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Jan.	1 Wigan Athletic	1-2	9,252	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	11 Gillingham	0-1	5,232	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	18 Rotherham United	0-4	3,821	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	20 Stockport County (FRT)	2-2	1,874	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	25 Walsall	3-1	4,088	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	28 Crewe Alexandra (FRT)	1-0	2,428	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Feb.	1 Wolverhampton W.	2-0	3,110	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	4 Bristol Rovers	0-2	3,672	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	8 Swansea City	1-3	4,242	Farnworth	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	22 Newport County	4-0	4,063	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	25 Bury	1-2	6,006	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Mar.	4 York City	1-1	3,589	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	8 Reading	2-0	4,903	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	11 Tranmere Rovers (FRT)	2-1	3,865	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	14 Brentford	1-1	3,284	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	18 A.F.C. Bournemouth	1-2	2,063	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	22 Cardiff City	5-0	4,114	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	25 Lincoln City	1-1	2,329	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	29 Wigan Athletic	3-1	8,009	Felgate	Scott†	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	31 Blackpool	1-3	7,878	Felgate	Darby	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
Apr.	12 Notts County	1-0	4,688	Felgate	Scott	Phillips¹	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	19 Derby County	1-2	12,232	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	22 Plymouth Argyle	1-4	12,183	Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
May	24 Darlington			Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	26 Bristol City			Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	1 Darlington (FRT)			Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips
	3 Chesterfield			Felgate	Scott	Phillips	Joyce	Came	Sutton	Thompson	Caldwell	Cross	Hartford	Oghani	Phillips

Home matches and goalscorers in bold type. † Player substituted. ● Substitute used. ★ Own goal.

FACTS

CANON LEAGUE DIVISION THREE

(Up to and including Tuesday 22nd April 1986)

	P	HOME		AWAY		GOALS		GOALS		Pts
		W	D	W	D	L	F	L	F	
Reading	43	14	3	13	4	4	36	5	28	88
Wigan Athletic	43	16	4	6	8	2	49	7	27	78
Plymouth Argyle	43	15	3	8	6	3	49	8	30	78
Derby County	40	12	5	9	8	3	41	3	31	76
Gillingham	43	13	5	7	8	3	46	7	30	73
Walsall	44	14	7	6	2	14	56	14	30	69
York City	43	14	4	4	6	12	43	12	25	64
Notts County	43	10	6	7	7	8	36	29	34	64
Doncaster Rovers	43	7	10	9	5	7	18	24	28	63
Bristol City	42	13	5	3	8	9	40	21	36	61
Brentford	43	7	7	10	3	9	24	29	32	61
Blackpool	42	10	5	6	6	9	36	27	30	59
Rotherham United	43	12	5	2	7	12	40	16	38	54
AFC Bournemouth	43	9	6	6	3	12	41	23	35	54
Darlington	38	9	5	5	6	9	35	21	35	53
Bristol Rovers	43	9	7	5	3	13	26	22	50	52
Bolton Wanderers	43	10	4	4	4	13	35	18	35	50
Chesterfield	44	9	6	3	7	12	38	19	33	49
Bury	43	11	6	1	5	15	46	14	37	47
Newport County	43	6	8	3	9	9	32	16	32	44
Lincoln City	42	7	7	3	7	12	29	21	41	44
Cardiff City	44	6	5	5	4	13	20	30	51	42
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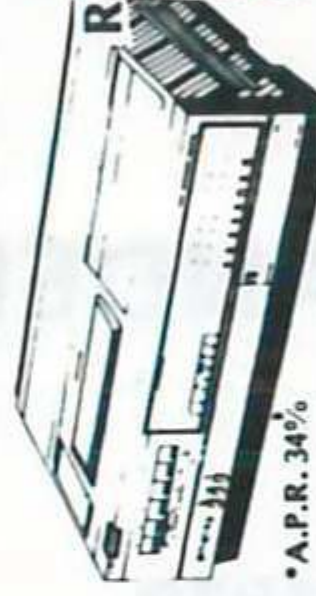
Date	Opponents	Goals F A
1985		
Aug.	21 Wolverhampton Wanderers	6-4
	28 Rotherham United	3-1
Sept.	3 Grimsby Town	1-2
	11 Middlesbrough	0-3
	18 Port Vale	3-1
	24 Blackpool	1-5
Oct.	2 Stoke City	4-0
	16 York City	2-1
	23 Preston North End	1-1
	30 Coventry City	1-2
Nov.	6 Scunthorpe United	1-1
	12 Burnley	3-0
	20 Sunderland	2-0
	26 Notts County	2-4
Dec	4 Doncaster Rovers	0-1
	10 Bradford City	1-1
	18 Grimsby Town	2-0
Jan	13 Wolverhampton Wanderers	0-2
	21 Middlesbrough	0-6
	29 Rotherham United	3-2
Feb.	3 Oldham Athletic	2-1
	5 York City	0-1
	19 Port Vale	1-0
Mar.	5 Stoke City	3-1
	12 Oldham Athletic	0-0
	19 Scunthorpe United	7-1
	26 Coventry City	0-0
Apr.	2 Burnley	0-1
	8 Sunderland	0-2
	14 Blackpool	0-1
	16 Notts County	3-0
	22 Doncaster Rovers	3-0
	28 Preston North End	
	30 Bradford City	

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4. Dave Sutton
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6. Steve Thompson
7. Phil Neal
8. George Oghani
9. Tony Caldwell
10. Asa Hartford
11. Mark Gavin
- 12.

BRISTOL CITY

Red and White

1. Keith Waugh
2. Andy Llewellyn
3. Brian Williams
4. Keith Curle
5. David Moyes
6. Glyn Riley
7. Howard Pritchard
8. Bobby Hutchinson
9. David Harle
10. Alan Walsh
11. Steve Neville
- 12.

Today's Referee

JIM ASHWORTH (Rutland, Leics.)

Air traffic controller. Married with two children. Commenced refereeing in 1967 and progressed via Football Combination. Enjoys golf, reading and watching most sports. Linesman for European Cup match in 1983 and referee for Kentish Cup the same year.

Linesmen: S. D. BELL (Huddersfield) Red Flag
J. S. COWLEY (St. Helens) Yellow Flag



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H	DARLINGTON
I	PLYMOUTH ARGYLE
J	BLACKPOOL
K	READING
L	DERBY COUNTY
M	ROTHERHAM UNITED
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Q	WALSALL
R	BURY
S	WOLVERHAMPTON WANDERERS
T	CARDIFF CITY
U	ARSENAL
V	WEST BROMWICH ALBION
W	ASTON VILLA
X	CHELSEA
	IPSWICH TOWN
	OXFORD UNITED
	LIVERPOOL
	BIRMINGHAM CITY
	LUTON TOWN
	WATFORD
	MANCHESTER UNITED
	LEICESTER CITY
	NEWCASTLE UNITED
	MANCHESTER CITY
	NOTTINGHAM FOREST
	EVERTON
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	TOTTENHAM HOTSPUR
	SOUTHAMPTON
	SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY
	WEST HAM UNITED
	COVENTRY CITY
	CHARLTON ATHLETIC
	BLACKBURN ROVERS
	STOKE CITY
	OLDHAM ATHLETIC
	ROCHDALE
	MANSFIELD TOWN